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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals the final rejection mailed 17 December 2002, of Claims 1, 4, 5, and 8. The brief will follow in due course.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the \$320.00 Notice of Appeal fee to Deposit Account No. 50-1482, in the name of Carlson, Gaskey & Olds, P.C.

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